GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the University Grants Commission(UGC) proposes to ask all Universities and Colleges to have an Internal Quality Assurance Cell mandatory to improve the quality of higher education being imparted;

(b) if so,the details thereof; and

(c) the final decision likely to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a)to(c): All Universities and Colleges accredited by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council are required to establish an Internal Quality Assurance Cell.Pending finalization of the guidelines for the scheme,an amount of Rs. 5.00 lakh has been indicated to each of the eligible Central Universities for the purpose of setting up of these Cells.